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BOX PATENT APPLICATION Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Re:

Application of Amir I. ZAGHLOUL, Ozlem KILIE Albert E. WILLIAMS

SMALLER APERTURE ANTENNA FOR MULTIPLE SPOT BEAM

**SATELLITES** 

Assignee: COMSAT CORPORATION

Our Ref. A7791

Dear Sir:

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Attached hereto is the application identified above including 12 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and 5 sheet(s) of drawings. The executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

 Total claims
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Please charge the deposit account for the statutory filing fee of \$710.00. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from July 14, 2000 based on US Provisional Application No. 60/218,214.

Respectfully submitted,
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